CAMPUS BULLETIN

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: *"The nicest thing about the promise of spring is that sooner or later she'll have to keep it."*
Mark Beltaire

Monday, March 19:

(DCC) Deaf Concerns Council - Vocational Library - 3:10 to 4:10 p.m.
(there will be 2 short presentations by Judith Carson and Mike Burk)

Tuesday, March 20:

Superintendent's Cabinet Meeting 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. - Alumni Room

Wednesday, March 21:

Bake Sale - Vocational Building - 8:00 a.m. until all food is sold

Thursday, March 22:

Friday, March 23:

Freedom Club Dues 1989-90 are due

Saturday, March 24:

F. Varsity & Varsity Cheerleaders will be signing "The Star Spangled Banner" at the Boys State Championship basketball game - Hoosier Dome

Sunday, March 25:

Watch "Deaf Mosaic" on the Discovery Channel at 9:30 a.m.
Comcast Cablevision and American Cablevision

ADDENDUM:

MEWS FLASH!! For all the middle school and varsity home track meets - we would like volunteers for timing, measuring, etc. We need lots of help with the home track meets. Schedule:

Home meets - March 27th 4:15 p.m. / March 12th 4:15 p.m. / May 3rd 4:15 p.m.
Hoosier invitational Saturday May 12th 10:00 a.m. (Varsity)

Middle School May 10th at 4:30 p.m.

All help would be appreciated. Please see Mike McGeath or Jackie McBroom.

LIBRARY NOTES: Color-coded filmstrips lists have been distributed to Supervising Teachers. Please see Supervising Teachers for this information. People Magazine issues of March 5th and 12th are missing. Please return these issues immediately.

Traveling out of state or abroad? The library picture files have been updated. I would greatly appreciate receiving any postcards or other information you may wish to share regarding different states and countries. Your contributions will be put to good use.

Reminder - ISD Spring Book Fair - March 26th thru 29th. All proceeds used for new library materials.

DIETARY ANNOUNCEMENT: On Wednesday, March 28th, in Brown Cafeteria, a retirement party will held to honor Gathis Sharp (25 1/2 Years of Service), Darlene Richards, (16 Years of Service), and Dorothy Marino, (15 Years of Service).

Come join us from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., and help in celebrating this great occasion!

Gift donations can be made to Brown Cafeteria, attention Beth Ann Mahoney, Doris Watkins, or June Welborn. Thank you!

On Wednesday, April 18th, ISD will hold our **4th ANNUAL RETIREE LUNCHEON** to honor those individuals who have given years of service to the School.

Staff members who would like to "Adopt a Retiree" may do so by making a contribution when your department representative contacts you during the next couple of weeks. Remember that these people have given years of service to the School and this is just a small way for us to say "thanks" for their past work.

The luncheon will be held at noon in the Co-Ed Lounge and then an all-School reception will be held at 3:00 p.m. so everyone can meet for a time of refreshments and fellowship.

From Administration: In response to a request for more privacy during check distribution, we are asking that checks be folded before checks are passed out. A recommendation was made regarding the use of envelopes, but this would be expensive.

The new address for Indiana State Teacher's Retirement Fund is: 150 West Market Street, Suite 300, Indianapolis, IN 46204-2809. (Telephone numbers remained the same.)

ISD extends our concern to Marty Fisk (Clinical Services) and her family after the recent fire in their home has them temporarily displaced. Donations can be sent to Pam Burchett.

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From the *ELEMENTARY* Department: Nationally, March is known as "Youth Art Month." To celebrate, each student in Elementary School has displayed their artwork in the hallway. Please visit our "Elementary Art Gallery." Soon, Pre-School will also have an art display for you to visit.

March 19th - Allyson Pearl - inservice on Reading Units 3:00 p.m. Sue Jones, Betsy Barton, Laura Gaalema classes go to the Indianapolis airport.

March 20th - Laura Gaalema & Sue Jones classes go to Pizza Hut for the Book It Program.

March 22nd - 9:30 a.m. Broad Ripple Mime Troupe will perform in the Elementary Gym.

March 23rd - Joyce Levy & Laurene Gallimore classes will go to Pizza Hut for the Book-it Program.

From the *HIGH SCHOOL* Department: Congratulations to Aimee Bippus, Joshua Shaffner, and Michael Mokris, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place scorers on the 1990 ISD Team taking the American High School Mathematics Exam! Our team improved its score by 9 points over last year. Good Work, Mathematicians and Teachers!

Parents: 1989-90 Dues for Freedom Club Members are $10.00. Please pay your student's dues by Friday, March 23rd. Give to Treasurer Brian Stockard or sponsors Laurene Gallimore and Yvonne Johnson. Checks should be made payab... to ISD Freedom Club. Thanks!

DID YOU KNOW THAT? History was made on March 9, 1990, when a "milestone" occurred in the United States Senate.

s you may know, the Senate opens its daily sessions with a prayer. On ch 9, 1990, for the first time ever, the prayer was presented by a deaf chaplain in sign language. As taken from the Congressional Record - Senate, Thursday, March 8, 1990, Vol. 136, No. 23:

THE FIRST DEAF CHAPLAIN BEFORE THE U.S. SENATE

Mr. McCain, Mr. President, I am proud to commemorate this special day in the history of the Senate. For the first time, the prayer that opens our session and sets the tone of our daily business was delivered in sign language. I thank the Reverend Jay Croft for his thoughtful words and the Reverend Gerard A. Trancone for his voice interpretation. I also thank Senator Kasten for his hard work in bringing this first to the Senate.

Mr. President, this event is evidence of the progress deaf and hard of hearing individuals have made in our society. Two years ago the hearts and minds of our Nation were besieged by the cries of Gallaudet students demanding a deaf president for the world's only university for the deaf. These calls for equality were heard, and I believe rightly so.

The arduous path that leads toward equality for deaf and hard of hearing people is one filled with both struggle and reward. The heroes who have chosen to follow it have expanded the boundaries of opportunity. But the equal opportunity and respect deaf and hard of hearing people seek are such tenuous concepts and must be fought for every day. The laws and rules which govern our society are certainly an honorable start for this journey, but only action can be proof of victory. A deaf chaplain before the Senate is such proof. Gallaudet students marching in the streets of Washington also served as proof that the fight for equality has not faltered and that heroes of the American dream - people such as I. King Jordan and every individual who daily overcomes the barriers society may place before them - are still in our presence.

This fight is far from won, however, and our heroes must continue their valiant effort. The power exists to overcome any barrier, and I am convinced that in our kindler and gentler world people are limited only by ambition.

Mr. President, I look forward to the day when our Nation has the opportunity to listen to the oratory of deaf Senators. I look forward to the day when the beauty and grace of a prayer delivered in sign language is not a special event but an accepted occurrence.

I ask that this body and all who are proud to be Americans never forget that every morning deaf and hard of hearing children all across our great Nation respectfully pledge their allegiance to our flag using sign language. Our children, the most precious commodity our country possesses, finish that pledge with the words "liberty and justice for all." I know that the heroes of whom I have spoken will never forget that creed, and our Nation is better because of them.

Again, I thank the Reverend Croft, the Reverend Trancone, and all deaf and hearing impaired individuals who have given of themselves to make this day possible, and I urge them to continue to fight to see their dreams become reality.

I yield the floor, Mr. President.

(This information was forwarded to ISD from Senator John McCain - Arizona)

Vacancies As Of 03-13-90:

Positions	Classification/Class Code	Department
1	Asst Superintendent/Education	Education
1	Cook III (72023)	Dietary
2	Inst.Worker IV-Food Service(72044)	Dietary
1	Clerk Typist IV (64034)	Education
1	Teacher Asst IV (45014)	Education
1	Teacher of the Deaf (15029) (Vocational Industrial Arts)	Education
1	Maint Repairperson III (71073)	Phys Plant
1	Maint. Electrician (71042)	Phys Plant
9	Houseparent IV (44024)	Homecare
1	Clerk Typist IV (64034)	Homecare
1	Adm. Assistant V (34075)	Homecare
1	Security Officer III (90023)	Security
1 *	Supv. Teacher of the Deaf (15010)	Clinical Services

*A request has been submitted to State Personnel for approval to reclassify this position from Supervising Teacher of the Deaf/Audiology Department to Teacher of the Deaf/Educational Audiologist. Interviews for teacher of the deaf will be scheduled upon receipt of the eligibility list of applicant names. *No position offers may be extended without prior approval from Doctor Murphy and Doctor Myers, State Board of Health Commissioner. Refer to Doctor Murphy's memo to all supervisors, 11/13/68. To apply: Contact Teresa Mynatt, Personnel Office, Alumni Hall, Room 211.*